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## **GLUE BOARD AND PACKAGING ASSEMBLY**

*ok to enter.* **Field of the Invention**

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*3/15/06* The present invention relates generally to the field of glue traps for the elimination of rodents and more particularly, to a glue board and packaging assembly.

### **Background of the Invention**

The prior art related to glue traps and glue boards includes the following U.S. patents.

U.S. Patent No. 5,577,342 to Johnson et al. for a "Rodent Control Glue Board" shows a device which includes a thermo formed board which has protruding dam walls which define reservoirs. The reservoirs contain glue for entrapment of rodents. The board has a rim and a paperboard sleeve extends between the rim of a first board and the rim of an overlying inverted second board.

U.S. Patent No. 5,572,825 to Gehret for a Glue Trap shows a trap with top and side openings which allow vermin to enter the interior of the trap. The interior of the trap includes adhesive for entrapment of the vermin.

U.S. Patent No. 5,950,353 to Johnson et al. for a Glue Board With Aggressive Mechanical Surface shows a tray with upwardly projecting side walls. The side walls form a reservoir containing glue for entrapment of rodents. The tray includes a plurality of ridges which extend upwardly to retain the glue.